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IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 6, line 26, and ending at line 32 as follows:

In some embodiments of the invention, as discussed above, a holder capable of moving the tube longitudinally relative to the beam may be used. In one such embodiment, a scanning ~~gavanometer~~ galvanometer is used in conjunction with a parabolic mirror to focus the beam onto the tube. As shown in Fig. 7, beam 106, after exiting scanning galvanometer mirrors 108a and 108b, is directed via elliptical mirror toward tube 102. The beam may be scanned about the circumference of the tube. Holder 114 is moved longitudinally in order to move the tube in a longitudinal direction relative to the beam.